Official Proceedings of The County Commissioners

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Adrian Pool, county judge.

Hon. Adrian Pool, county judge, pre-Hon James Clifford, commissioner, recibet No. 1. Hon. George Pendell, commissioner, recibet No. 2.

Adrian Pool, county judge. E. B. McClintock, county cierk. By (Aranda, deputy; Tuesday, Jan. 75., 1916. Court met in regular session at 1 Sciock, a. m.

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Officers present:
Hee, Adrian Pool, county judge, presiding.
Hom. James Clifford, commissioner, precinct No. 1.
Hom. Seth B. Orndorff, commissioner, precinct No. 2.
Hom. J. M. Walling, commissioner, precinct No. 4.
E. B. McClintock, county clerk.
Jan. 25, 1916.
On this day on motion duly made and seconder, it is ordered by the county that claims against El Pano county, Texas, be and the same are hereby allowed upon their respective funds as presented by the county auditor.

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ended, it is ordered by the court that the old road leading from Joe Gard-mer's ranch to Finley be declared a second class public road.

Jan. 18, 1915.

On this day on motion of commissioner Walling duly made and seconded, it is ordered by the court that the road from Hot Wells to Allamore be declared a second class public road.

On this day on motion of commissioner Walling duly made and seconded, it is ordered by the court that a public road be opened from the read a short distance north of the L. R. Millican house to the county line near the Harel mines.

Jan. 18, 1916.

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Whereas, There was an election held in Justice. Precinct No. 5 of El Paso county. Texas, on the 1th day of January, 1916, for the purpose of determining whether or not the sale of intaxicating injunes shall be prohibited in said Justice Precinct No. 5, said election having been held in pursuance to an order entered by the commissioners' court of El Paso county, Texas, on the 14th day of Determber, 1916, ordering said election as aforesaid; and,
Whereas: The commissioners' court of El Paso county, Texas, on this, the 18th day of January, 1916, has and is helding a special session for the purpose of opening the polls and counting the votes cast at said election; and,

shid is holding a special session for the purpose of opening the polls and countries the votes cast at said election; and,

Whereas, After opening the polls and counting said votes it appears to the commissioners' count? of El Passe county, Texas, and said court here now finds that the majority of the votes nast in said election is for probibition, and

It is the further order of the court that the result of said election is for prohibition, and that more than a majority of the votes cast were for promibition and the court here now makes a further order prohibiting the sale of intoxicating liquors within the precinct limits of said Justice Precinct No. 5, of El Paso county Texas.

Adrian Pool, county judge.

Jan. 13, 1916.

To the Honorable Judge and Commissioners' Court of El Paso County, Texas:

As properly tax payers and citizens living in El Paso, also outside of the city Units. In Altura, Grandview, Morning Side, Military Heights, Summit Place and Highland Park, will say that we are very much pleased that the recent bond issue has carried by a substantial implority, and feel like that the work thus well begun can only end with a good system of roads for the entire county, if the precede of this issue produce tood results. We have falt all along that if the needs of the district in which we live were made known to you and the money could be obtained hist you would make a substantial improvement in the way of a permanent highway through the community, that would best serve all the people. To this end we respectivily petition you to begin the improvement of Division (Piedras) street at the city inits on the north and paye a permanent moth and south across the city east of the mountains, and is centrally located so as to best serve the most people. It will furnish a permanent link in the cennty highway apaten and greatly increase values in this district.

D. Sutton 2666 Nations Ave, Grandview.

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H. Rhodes, 2315 McKinley, Morn-usaide Heights. by H. E. Cantrell, Military Heights. by H. E. Cantrell, H. E. Cantrell, Military Heights. Chas. F. Mathews, Military Heights. John T. Grancy, 2526 Nations Ave. J. J. Wafkins, 2506 Nations Ave. W. R. Tyler, 2506 Hamilton St. Leonard West, 2526 Louisville St. C. W. Brets, 2526 Louisville St. G. Perry, 3426 McKinley, Grand-ew

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Milliary Heights.
T. W. Ward, 2502 San Jose St.
J. N. Howell, 2204 Hamilton St.
E. J. Powler, 2220 Hamilton St.
W. H. Cain, 2308 Mobile St.
John Bippus, 2508 Ft. Boulevard,
Clarence T. Hagerty, State College,
New Mexico.

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has A. Belcher, 2705 Piedras St.

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H. L. McCune, 2507 Piedras St.
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ion Grocery Company. Guarantee Shoe Co., S. Krantzthor,

A. G. McMath. H. E. Christie. Texas Bank & Trust Co., H. E. Chris-

On this day, it is hereby ordered by the court that the 1915 assessment of Mrs. Julia O'Keefe, Mrs. F. F. Dwyer and Win. French, each assessment showing the Und. 1-3 of 3 acres abstract 181 Sur. 7 Ed. R. Talley be changed by county fax collector and county fax assessor to read the Und. 1-3 of northerly 5 acres for each of abstract 181 Sur. 7 Ed. R. Talley and that said county officers be immediately notified of such change.

Jun. 25, 1916.
On this day on motion of Comr. Fendell duly made and seconded by Comr.

Texas Bank & Trust Co. H. E. Christic cashier.
Endorsed: Petition for prohibition election in Justice Precinct No. 5, filed this 14th day of December, A. D. 1815.
E. E. McClintock, county clerk, by C. Aranda, deputy, as follows, viz.
The State of Texas,
County of El Paso.
To the Honorable Commissioners Court of El Paso County, Texas.
Comes now herein the undersigned, each and all of whom are duly qualified resident voters ond citizens of Justice Precinct No. 5, of El Paso County, Texas, and respectfully petition your honorable body to order an election to be hald by the qualified voters of said Justice Precinct No. 5, for the purpose of determining whether or not the sais of intoxicaling liquers shall be prohibited in said Justice Precinct No. 5, El Paso county, Texas.

Your petitioners, and below stances.

Your petitioners, and being signers of this petition, would further show hat they and each of them are bonalder resident qualified voters of said fustice Precinct No. 5, and that said ustice Precinct No. 5, does not emprace within the limits of the same are these particles of the same are the property of the same and the same are the same are the same and the same are the same ar this order.

Jan. 15, 1918,
On this doy on motion of Comr. Pendell duly made and seconded by Comr. Clifford it is ordered by the court that the petition or D. N. Reid, et al. for the changing of a culvert on the county road converting males from the Prank-lin canal through the Account Madre to lands complising about six hundred acres Iring between the two payed

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roads and north of the new paved road about one and one-half miles west of Fabous, he and the same is hereby in all things granted.

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On this day on motion of Comr. Walling duly made and seconded by Comr. Pendeil it is ordered by the court that the petition of E. A. Walters and others for repairs of a certain road in Val Verde, running at right angles from the tracks of the S. I. railway to the main trigation canal, be and the same is hereby referred to Comr. Clifford with power to act.

On this day on motion of Comr. Fendell duly made and seconded by Comr. Clifford it is ordered by the court that the petition of J. R. Love to withdraw from the bond of Dave Allison, constable in and for precinct No. 5, as one of the suretless thereon, be and the same is hereby granted.

On this day on motion of Comr. Walling duly made and seconded by Comr. Clifford it is ordered by the court that the petition of J. T. Smith and other residents of Fort Hancock praying that a new road be opened beginning at a point opposite the two water tanks on the right of way of the G. H. & S. A. milway at Fort Hancock station, thence in a southwesterly direction to the main county road between El Paso and Sierra Blanca, be and the same is hereby granted and declared as a second class public road.

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main county road between he is hereby granted and that maid road he
opened and declared as a second class
public road.

On motion of Comr. Pendell duly
made and seconded it is ordered for a
quit claim deed to a tract of land in
San Elizario be referred to the county
attorney for inventigation and repert
to this court.

On this day on motion of Comr. Pendell duly made and seconded it is ordered by the court tinat the county road
engineer Hanning make a survey of the
county road from Hi Paso to Anthony
and furnish estimated cost with specifications to this court.

On this day on motion of Comr. Walling duly made and seconded by Comr.
Pendell it is ordered by the court that
the petition of property owners and
residents of the Smelter district in fustice precinct No. 8, for a deputy shoriff
in said district be referred to county
attorney Groom for investigation and
his report to this court.

On this day on motion of Comr. Pendell duly made and seconded by Comr.
Walling, it is ordered by the court that
the petition of Mary I. Stantom for a
refund of taxes paid by her for one E.
L. Johnson for 1914 on lots 17 to 26,
block 80, Government Hill addition to
El Paso, on account of double rendition be and the same is hereby referred
to county assessor Huffman for investigation and his report to this court.

On this day on motion of Comr. Walllag duly made and seconded, it is ordered by the court that the communication of H. H. Thorne for permission to
connect with the sewer that was laid
alongside of the court that the petition of
residents from Val Verde for a wider
bridge on the canal at said place, be
and the same is hereby referred to
Comr. Clifford with power to act.

Jan. 25, 1918.

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residents from Val Verde for a wider
bridge on the canal at said place, be
and the same is hereby feferred to
Comr. Clifford with power to act.

Jan. 25, 1918.

On this day on motion of duly made and
seconded it is ordered by the court
that E. B. McClintock, county clerk.
By C. Aranda, deputy.
Friday, Jan. 21, 1916.
Codet met at 11 oclock, a. m., Spt.

Hen George Penaell, commissioner, precinct No. 2

E. R. McClintock, county clerk.

Jan. 21, 1816.

On this day on motion duly made and exceeded, it is ordered by the court that the map of the Morning Side Reights addition to the city of El Paso, Texas, as amended June 25, 1815, be said the same is hereby accepted and ordered filed in the county clerk's office, and this court thereby approves and adopts the streets and alleys in said map designated and the said streets and alleys are brieby, presented to, and dedicated to the public for their use and benefit, as public roads and highways.

Whereas, it was agreed in the confract between 51 Paso county and The Hamilton Co., bearing date of December 7, 1815, for the installation and completion of all the heating and year thating and power plant and power system in the new El Paso county courthouse building as called for in proposal No. 1-2, set forth in plans and specifications as follows to with 1st agreed that if by January 15, 1815, Passe county (first party) de-

Attest: Adrian Pool.

E.B. McClintonic, County Judge
Clerk

By C. Aranda, Deputy
Thursday, January 27th, 1918.
Court met in apecial session at H
o'clock a.m.
Officers present:
Hon. Adrian Pool, County Judge
Presiding:
Hon. James Clifford, Commissioner
Precinct No. 1.
Hon. George Pendell, Commissioner
Precinct No. 2.

On this day on motion of commissioner Pendell, duly made and seconded by commissioner Clifford, it is ordered by the court that 40 acres out of the Poor Farm tract be set aside as an experiment tract to be used in connection, with the United States government. Jan. 25, 1918.
On this day it is hereby ordered that the I'nd. 1-4 of S. 69' 4" of lot 124 and Und. 1-4 of N. 8' 8" of let 125, block 29, Mills assessed to unknown owner, be changed by county tax assessor and county tax collector, to read: The Und. 1-4 of N. 8' 8" of lot 121, and the Und. 1-6 of S. 69' 4" of lot 124, block 20 Mills for year 1915, and that said county officers be so notified.

On this day on motion of Comr. Fen-dell duly made and seconded by Comr. Cittierd, it is hereby ordered by the commissioners' court that the tax paid on lots 16 to 13, block 9, East El Paso, as per first map of said addition, be an-piled on lots 14 to 17, block 9, East El Paso, in the case of payment since the issue of supplemental map of said ad-dition changing the lot numbering, by reason of creating Stavens street from lots 14 and 15 of said block, and that the tax collector be hereby notified of this order. Judge, and his successors in office in the sum of \$155,000.00 with W. Cooley Charles B. Stevens, John Sorenson and J. F. Williams as surelies, be and the same is hereby approved.

by the County Auditor.

January 22th, 1916.

Whereas there was paid into the general school fund the sum of \$40,24 by W. T. Duke, of Itoby, Texas, in excess of the amount due El Paso County by said Duke on saie No. 28.

El Paso County lands in Fisher Co., Texas, which sum is now due said buke.

On motion, duly made and seconded, it is ordered that said sum of \$40.25 be returned to said W. T. Duke, and the County Superintendent is further ordered to issue a warrant in favor of said Duke for said sum out of the interest fund of the General School Fund.

The Court then adjourned, sine die.

Attest:

Adrian Pool, County Judge.
E. B. McClintock, Clerk.
By C. Aranda, Deputy.
Priday, January 18th, 1918,
Court met in special session at 10
O'clock a. m.
Officers present;
Hon Adrian Pool, County Judge,
Presiding.

even date with said deed and payable annually in one to ten years respectively, from date, the Vendor's Lieu securing the payment thereof being retained in said deed and in the face of said notes, said deed being of record in Volume 25, page 185, of the deel records of Fisher County, Texas, and

The Court then adjourned, sine dle.

officers present: Officers present: Hon. Adrian Pool, County Judge.

Hon Adrian Pool, County Judge. Presiding. Hon James Clifford, Commissioner

Precinct No. 1. Hon, George Pendell, Commissioner

February 4th, 1916.

residing.

Hon. James Clifford, Commissioner
Preclict No. 1.

Hon. George Pendell, Commissioner rediret No. 2 F. B. McClintock, County Clerk. On this 28th day of January, 1916, the dlowing members of the Court being

resent, viz; Adrian Pool, County Judge, Hon. James Clifford, Commissioner recinct No. 1. Hon, George Pendell, Commissioner Precinct No. 2.
came on to be heard the matter of the
ratification of the sale of Block No.
2 of the subdivision of Leagues 207 and
218 El Pase County school lands as
subdivided by R. C. Royaton, Deputy
County Surveyor of Fisher County.
Texas, and the release of the Vendors
Lien retained thereon in favor of El
Paso County, Texas, to secure the payment of part of the purchase money
for said land; and it appearing to the
Court that heretofore to wit:
On the 10th day of February, 1982.

Jan. 25, 191m proposal No. 1-E, set forth in plans and specifications as follows to wit:

It is agreed that if by January 15, 1916, El Pare county (first party) decides to omit engine generators feed water beater, etc., as provided in said proposal No. 2, a deduction of \$15,000 will be allowed; and,

Whereas, by telegram dated Jan. 14th, 1916, said Hamilton Co. extended said option to Jan. 25, 1916; and,

Whereas It is desired by El Pare county to exercise their right under said option (to omit said engine generators, feed water heater, etc.)

It is therefore ordered, on motion duly made and seconded, that El Pare county exercise its option as aforesaid, and that there shall be eliminated and contract price of \$15,000 to this day on motion duly made and seconded in said contract a deduction from the contract price of \$15,000 to this day on motion duly made and seconded in said contract a deduction from the contract price of \$15,000 to county association in reference to parper pensions be received and filed.

Attest:

Adrian Pool, county judge.

On this day on motion duly made and seconded it is ordered by the court that the following communications be received and filed to-wit:

The Brecht to. J. E. Morgan, J. E. Morgan, U.S. McGrady & Thomason, Z. L. Cobb. T. J. Holland, residents of Government Hiff, Jas. Edmiston.

On this day on motion of Comr. Pendell duly made and seconded, it is ordered.

On this day on motion of Comr. Fonded dil duly made and seconded, it is ordered that the petition of F. L. Brewer for correction of taxes on lots 17 to 20, inclusive, blook 6, Lincoln Park addition, be referred to county attorney Cronn for investigation.

The court then adjourned sine dis. Attest.

L. B. McClintonic, County Judge.

Clerk.

Precinct No. 1.

Hon, George Pendell, Commissioner Precinct No. 2.

E. B. McClintock, County Clerk.

R. B. McClintock, County Clerk.

Experiment No. 2.

Sanuary 27th, 1916.

On this day on motion of Commissioner Pendell duly made and seconded, it is ordered by the Court that the petition of F. L. Brewer for correction of amount of taxes for lots 17 to 29. Block 5, Lincoln Park, be and the same is hereby grarted as praced for, and the Tax Collector is hereby directed and ordered to accept from said Brewer the sum of \$2.49 ms taxes due by him on said property for 4 L-2 months for the year 1915.

On this day, on motion of Commissioner Pendell, duly made and seconded, it is ordered by the County road passing by the Country Club at a cost not to exceed the sum of \$199.69.

On this day, on motion of Commissioner Pendell, duly made and seconded by Coommissioner Clifford, it is ordered by the Country coad noishing by the Country Club at a cost not to exceed the sum of \$199.69.

On this day, on motion of Commissioner Orndorff, duly made and seconded by Coommissioner Clifford, it is ordered that the bond of J. E. Morgan, contractor, for the erection and constructor, for the rection and constructor, for the erection and constructor, for the seconded of Country Judge, and his successors in office in the sum of \$185,000.00 with W. Cooley.

J. F. Williams as surelies, he and the same is hereby approved.

January 27th, 1916.

On this day on motion of Commissioner Clifford, duly made and seconded, it is ordered by the Court that all certified checks heretofore deposited by bidders in connection with the construction of the Court House be returned to their respective owners by the Coupty Auditor.

January 27th, 1916.

I. Adrian Pool, County Judge of El Paso County, Texas, by virtue of the suthority vested in me by Article 1722 of the revised statutes of the Sinte of Texas, do hereby order that; The order of the Commissioners Court of El Paso County, Texas, dated Jamany 18th, 1918, which order declared the result, and prohibited the sale of intoxicating flauors in Commissioner's Precinct No. five 63), of El Paso County, Texas, shall be published for four (4) successive weeks in the El Paso Herald, a newspaper published in El Paso County, Texas, and hereby select said paper for the purpose of publishing the above mentioned order of the maid court.

Adrian Pool, County Judge, El Paso County, Texas, El Paso County, Texas

sioner Clifford, duly made and sec-orded by Commissioner Pendell, if is ordered by the Court that County Judge Adrian Peol be and is hereby authorized to draw his salary for the year 1915: It is further ordered that his report of fees collected for 1915 be received and filed. The Court theo adjourned sine die.

Attest: Adrian Pool, County Judge, E. B. McClintock, County Clefk. By C. Aranda, Deputy.
Tuesday, February 878, 1916
Court met in special call session at 150 o'clock p. m.
Officers present;
Hon. Adrian Pool, County Judge,

Hon. Anthory chifford, Commissioner, Hon. James Chifford, Commissioner, recinct No. 1. Hon. George Pendell, Commissioner, County No. 2 E. B. McClintock County Clerk. By C. Aranda, Deputy

By C Aranda, Deputy.

Pebruary Sth. 1216.
On this day, on motion of Commissioner Clifford, duly made and seconded by Commissioner Pendell, it is hereby ordered that a formal request he and is hereby made to the Hon. Mayor and City Council of the City of El Paso, Texas, for an extension of the deep sewer down East Overland Street to within twenty-five feet of the corner of East Overland and Campbell Streets to provide proper sewerage for the new Court House and Juli Building.

Che new Court House and Jan Building.
February 8th, 1916.
Order rescinding Bond Tax Levy and
Releving Bond Tax.
Court met in special called session
of 100 o'clock b. m.
Tuesday, Feb. 3, 1916.
Officers present:
Hon. Advian Pool. County Judge,
Presiding.

Hon. Adrian residing. Hon. James Clifford, Commissioner, George Pendell, Commissioner,

for said land; and it appearing to the Court that heretofore to wit:

On the 10th day of February, 1905, the Commissioner's Court; of El Paso County, Texas, had ordered said land to be sold at \$10.00 per acre, not less than one-fifth to be paid in cash and the balance in ten annual installments secured by Vendor's Lien notes, and authorized and directed the Hon. Jos. U. Sweeney, County Judge of El Paso County, Texas, to make, execute and deliver deeds to such land in accordance with said order, and

It forther appearing that on Angust 16th, 1966, Jos. U. Sweeney, County Judge of El Paso County Surveyor of Fisher County. Texas, in accordance with such order, made, executed and delivered to W. D. Beall, Jr., deed to all of Block No. 5, subdivision of Lengues 307 and 116, ins subdivided by R. C. Royston, Deputy County Surveyor of Fisher County. Texas, for a consideration of \$2257.00, \$447.40 being cash, then received and paid to El Paso County, and ten notes for the sum of \$178.96 each, payable to the County Treasurer of El Paso County, and ten notes for the sum of \$178.96 each, payable to the County Treasurer of El Paso County, and ten notes for the sum of \$178.96 each, payable to the County Treasurer of El Paso County, and ten notes for the sum of \$178.96 each, payable to the County Treasurer of El Paso County, and ten notes for the sum of \$178.96 each, payable to the County Treasurer of El Paso County, Texas, executed by W. D. Beall, Jr., bearing even date with said deed and payable annually in one to ten years respectively, from date, the Vendor's Lien

Adrian Pool, County Judge, B. McClintock, County Clerk, Aranda Deputy, Monday, February 14th, 1916, met in regular session at

Precinct No. 3. Walling, Commissioner, Precinct No. 4. Walling, Commissioner, Precinct No. 4. E. B. McClintork, County Clerk, Esbruary 14th, 1918, On motion of Commissioner Orndorff, laly made and seconded, it is ordered by the Court that the report of Chus. Henning, Road Engineer, be received and filed.

Pelcuary 14th, 1916.

and filed. Pebruary 14th, 1916.
On this day, on notion of Commistioner Walling, duly made and secended by Commissioner Clifford, it is
ordered by the Court that the matter
of replacing the fence of Mrs. Annie
(hegard, in Commissioner's Precinct
o, 3, be and the same is hereby repared to Commissioner Orndorff with

On. February 14th

On this day, on motion of Commissioner Orndorff, made and duly seconded by Commissioner Pendell, it is writered by the Court that the bond of W. D. Allison, as Constable in and for Precinct No. 5, in the sum of \$500,00, with T. D. Love and W. A. Taylor as sureties, be and the same is hereby approved.

of said notes, said deed being of records of Fisher County, Texas, and It further appearing to the Court that the notes hereinabove described given to El Paso County by W. D. Beall, Jr., has been paid in full to El Paso County with interest thereon, and that the money arising from all of said notes has been received by El Paso County, and used in accordance with law in connection with the School Fund of El Paso County, and.

It is therefore ordered and adjusted and decreed by the Count that the sale of said land by El Paso County to W. D. Beall, Jr., and that the deed of the County Judge of El Paso County to W. D. Beall, Jr., as herinbefore set out to be in all things valified and confirmed and Adrian Pool, the County Judge of El Paso County. Is all things valified and confirmed and Adrian Pool, the County Judge of El Paso County. Is hereby authorized and directed to make, execute and deliver to W. D. Beall, Jr., release of the Vendor's Lien on all of said Block No. 5 of the R. C. Royston subdivision of Leagues 207 and M. El Paso County. School Lands, situated in Flaher County, Texas.

January 25th, 1918.

On this day, on motion of Commissioner Pendell, duly made and seconded by Commissioner Clifford it is ordered by the Court that the County have the benefit of the freight rate if lower and stand raise if any, according to formal contract, payable in one and two years.

On this day, on motion of Commissioner Pendell, duly made and second two years.

On this day, on motion of Commissioner Pendell, duly made and second two years.

On this day, on motion of Commissioner Pendell, duly made and second two years. approved. February 18th, 1916.
On motion of Commissioner Clifford, duly made and seconded by Commissioner Pendell, it is ordered by the Court that Automobile No. 15, hereto-fore issued to and owned by Dr. E. D. Lönks, now a non-resident of this stale, he granted and relessed to R. B. Homan, a resident of El Paso County, Texas.

and two years.

January 28th, 1918.
On this day, on motion of Commissioner Pendell, duly made and seconded, it is ordered by the Court that the petition of Jesus Parra for a quitelaim deed from El Paso County to him be and the same is hereby granted and the County Judge is hereby authorized to execute and deliver to him said deed, in consideration of the sum of \$1.00, in and to the following described land as prayed for in his petition, to wit.

Being situated about 1-3 mile North hast of Phras at Sun Elizario, County of 12 Paso and State of Texas:

Heginning at a stake on the north side of the San Elizario and Clint Rock lined. Pebruary 14th, 1916.
On this day, on motion of Commis-ioner Walling, duly made and sec-onded by Commissioner Pendell, it is referred by the Court that the request if the remarked by Sweet, Causer, Foster & Co., relative to warrants covered by contract for the Heating and Ventiating work for the El Paso Jali Build ing be and the same is hereby referred to County Attorney Creem for inves-

February 14th, 1914, Pebruary 14th, 1314, On this day, on motion of Commis-ioner Walling, duly made and sec-nded, it is ordered by the Court that he matter of the W. B. Giardon ditch in the town of Socorro be referred to luminissioner Pendell with power to

side of the San Elizario and Clint Rock Road;
Thence N 30 degrees, E. 220 feet, to a stake on the bank of Entrel Ditch. Thence N, 60 degrees, W, 180 feet up said ditch to stake on Rosa Road:
Thence S, 40 degrees, W, 220 feet along the Rosa Road to stake at San Elizario and Clint Rock Road;
Thence S, 51 degrees, E. 221 feet long the San Elizario and Clint Rock Road;
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O stake the place of beginning, containing one and one-eighth acree.

January 28th, 1515.

On this day on motion of Coramissioner Pendell, duly made and seconded, it is ordered by the Court that the County Anditor purchase a Type-writer machine for use in the County Clerk's affice.

Commissioner Fendell Wills power to act.

Pebruary 14th, 1318.
On this day on motion of Commissioner Fendell, duly made and seconded, it is ordered by the Court that the petition of Chas Beal and other residents of Orchard Path, praying that Hadlock, Martens and Hammett place and Dunne Boulevard be graded and surfaced be and the same is hereby referred to Commissioner Clifford, and motion of Commissioner Clifford, duly made and seconded by Commissioner Walling, it is ordered by Commissioner Walling, it is ordered by Commissioner Walling, it is ordered by the Court hat the petition of Milton S. Graves and others for grading and surfacing the road beginning as the 10 mile bridge on the County though (Valdespino Station) running mortherly about 1500 feet until it intersects the road known as the "Denot Road," to Veleta Station on the G. H. & S. A. R., R., thence easterly about one and one-eighth miles to the intersection of paved road near the Valeta depot, he and the same is hereby referred to Commissioner Walling, and provided the County to 5.4 acres in the Upper Faleta Grant be referred to C. W. Croom.

February 14th, 1818.
On this day on motion of Commissioner Faleta Grant be referred to C. W. Croom. African Pool, County Judge E. B. McClintock, County Clerk, By C. Aranda, Deputy Friday, February 4th, 1816, Court met at 2 g. m., in special call

Precinct No. 2.

E. B. McClintock, County Clerk,
By C. Aranda, Deputy,
At a special meeting of the Countilssioner's Court of date the 4th day of
February, 1916, at which meeting the
following members were present.
Hon. Adrian Pool, County Judge,
Presiding.

Hon Adrian Pool, County Judge, Presiding.
Hon James Clifford, Commissioner Precinct No. 1.
Hon George Pendell, Commissioner Precinct No. 2.
It was moved by Commissioner Clifford and seconded by Commissioner Pendell, that Judge Pool he authorized to invest such amount of the Permanent Fund of the County Schools as will be necessary to purchase twelve T. S. J. Y. Common School District School House Bonds, together with accrued interest to date, the total amounting to \$12.481.6.

February 4th, 1916.

from the County to 5.4 acres in the upper Valeta Grant be referred to C. W. Croom.

February 14th, 1518.

On this day, on motion of Commissioner Clifford, duly made and seconded, it is ordered by the Court that the report of Maximo Aranda, Justice of the Peace of fines collected during January, 1216, in the sum of 355 he and the same is hereby approved.

February 14th, 1316.

On this day, on motion, duly made and seconded, it is ordered by the Court that the report of E. S. White, Assistant County Physician, of \$6.50 collected by him for the sale of antitoxin and paid into the County Treasurer, be and the same is hereby approved.

February 14th, 1316.

On this day, on motion duly made and seconded, it is ordered by the Court that the communication of Mayor Tom Lea with reference to inquests held and burial permits issued on certain persons, such as those dying from sentility and still born children, be received and filed.

En this day, on motion of Commissioner Walling, duly made and seconded, it is ordered by the Court that T. D. Lave, V. Hogan, Tom Cook, Roy Powell and J. D. Williams be and are hereby appointed a lury to lay out and designate the road known as the Lanier Road, in Commissioner's Precinct No. 4; and it is further ordered that said above named persons be notified of their appointment by the Sheriff of this County.

February 14th, 1918.

On this day, on motion of Commissioner Walling, duly made and seconded of their appointment by the Sheriff of this County.

February 14th, 1925.

On this day, on motion of Commissioner Pendell, duly made and seconded by Commissioner Orndorff, it is ordered by Commissioner Orndorff, it is ordered by the Court that the application of Mary I. Stanton for refund of \$2.15 faxes on lots 17 to 19, Hooks 9, Government Hill, for the year 1814, on account of double payment, be granted and the County Auditor is hereby ordered to issue a warrant in her favor for said amount in payment thereof.

February 14th, 1916.

February 14th, 1916.

Con this day, on motion of Commissioner Orndorff, duly made and seconded, it is ordered by the Count that no purchase he made for El Paso Cunty except through the Commissioner Court.

February 18th, 1918.

On this day, on motion of Commissioner Cendorff, duly made and seconded by Countissioner Pendell, it is ordered by the Court that the sum of \$7500.00 he set aside for the Chamber of Commerce for the Dry Farming convention and the celebration of the opening of the Elephant Butte Dam, to be paid as called for Commissioners Clifford, Dendorff, and Pendell veiling in favor of the resolution and Commissioner Walling voling against the reso-

Clifford. Dendorff. and Pendell voting in favor of the resolution and Commissioner Walling voting against the resolution.

Pebruary 14th, 1216.

On this day, on motion of Commissioner Pendell, dily made and seconded, it is ordered by the Court that the question of improving certain roads up the valley be and the same in hereby referred to County Engineer Henning in connection with it R. Herley.

February 1th, 1518.

On this day, on motion of Commissioner Pendell, duly made and seconded, it is ordered by the Court that the petition saiding that the public road from Harris Spur to Old Fort Guillman be established and made a first class public road, be and the same is hereby referred to Commissioner Walling with power to act.

Fell 14, 1316.

On this day, on motion of Commissioner Walling with power to act.

Fell 14, 1316.

On this day, on motion of the North County road; whereapon the roll was called, with the following result, vis. James Clifford, Commissioner Precinct No. 1.—I favor concrete.

George Pendell, Commissioner Precinct No. 2.—I favor bituithe.

J. M. Walling Commissioner Precinct No. 2.—I favor concrete.

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Adrian Pool, County Judge Presiding—I favor concrete.

Adrian Pool, County Little, 1916.

On this day, on motion of Commissioner Pendell, duly made and seconded by Commissioner Walling, it is ordered by the Court that specifications be prepared by County Engineer Henning for concrete roadway for Doulphan's Drive and submitted to this Court for approval or rejection by Monday, February 14th, 1916.

On this day, on motion of Commissioner Clifford, duly made and seconded by Commissioner Pendell, till sordered by the Court that Claims arainst El Paso County Texas, be and allowed in their respective amounts send funds as this day presented for approval by the Court that Eduardo Masse be and is horeby appointed commis

Pebruary 21st, 1916. On this day, on motion of Commis-ioner Pendell, duly made and seconded y Commissioner Orndorff, it is ordered the Court that all of the elevato

by Commissioner Orndorff, it is ordered by the Court that all of the elevator bids be and the same are hereby rejected, and that new bids be called for: Commissioner Clifford voting no. It is further ordered by the Court that Engineer Chas Henning and J. L. Campbell be and are hereby appointed to select a third Engineer who shall then comprise a committee of three to investigate and make recommendation to this Court relative to a geared or grariess elevator for the new Court House building.

It is hereby ordered by the County accept the tax for years 121s. 121s.

It is hereby ordered by the County accept the tax for years 121s on lots 12 to 17. Block a Golden Hill, on valuation \$1.500 instead of \$2.500 as shown by Tax Rolls of 1915. Property is assessed in name of C. F. Hanseh, through error the property was assessed with a seven-room brick house. When upon investigation, property is found to be vacant property: also that County Clerk immediately notify County Tax Collector and Assessor of action taken.

Respectfully.

G. W. Huffman.

Respectfully.

Respectfully,
G. W. Huffman,
February II. 1914.
On this day, on motion of Commissioner Orndorff, duly made and seconded by Commissioner Pendell, it is ordered by the Court that Romulo Bacabe, and he is hereby appointed Ment inspector at Pahens.

Pebruary II. 1914.
On this day, on motion of Commissioner Chitterd, duly made and seconded, by Commissioner Walling, it is
ordered by the Court that the specifications as prepared by County Ensineer Henning for the construction of
the Doniphan's Drive road, be and the
same are hereby accepted.

February II. 1915
On motion of Commissioner Pendell,
duly made and seconded on this day,
it is constructed by the Court that the con-

On motion of Commissioner Pendell, duly made and seconded on this day, it is ordered by the Court that hids for the construction of the Domphan's Drive road be called for and received by this court up to March 10, 1918.

It is hereby ordered by the Court, on motion of Commissioner Orndorff and seconded by Commissioner Orndorff and seconded by Commissioner Clifford, that the petition of George 3. Kirtley and others for an appropriation of \$150 for the purpose of rebuilding a second-class county roadway from Scott crossing on the G. H. & S. A. R. R. to the Hanch home of E. W. Nevel on the Rio Grande river, a distance of twenty miles, be and the same is hereby referred to Commissioner Walling with full power to act.

February 1, 1910

On this day came on to be considered the returns of an election held on the 19th day of February 1916, in common school district No. W. D. of the County upon the question of insuing \$3000, of schoolhouse bonds for said district running forty years with option of redemption after twenty years, and hearing five per cent interest, and leaving a tax on all taxable property of said district sufficient to pay the current interest on said bonds, and pro-

ouded, it is ordered by the Court that the petition of James E. Bowen and several other residents of Clint, and the island, for a paved road from what is known as the North Loop road to the south Loop road running through the town of Clint and connecting the two paved roads, and for a good road not paved in the most direct route from Clint to the best crossing over the river to the island covered with crushed rock and a good weeden bridge across the river, be and the same is hereby referred to Commissioner Orndorff, for his recommendation.

February 14th, 1915.

On this day, on motion of Commissioner Orndorff, it is surdered by the Court that the application of Mary J. Stanton for refund of \$1,15 faxes on lots 17 to 29, Block 90, Government Hill, for the year 1914, on account of double payment be transfed and the Court Application of Mary 1, Stanton for refund of \$2,15 faxes on lots 17 to 29, Block 90, Government Hill, for the year 1914, on account of double payment be transfed and the Court Application for the court of the specific payment is a count of the court of the specific payment is a count of double payment is the court of the court of

February J1, 1918, in this day came on to be considered the returns of an election held on the 19th day of February, 1918, is Common School District No. W. II, of this Cognity, to determine whether or not the qualified property inxpaying voters of said district desire to tax themselves in cents on the 3100 rahuntion of taxable property within said district to supplement the State School fund apportioned to said district, and it appearing that said election was in all respects legally held, and that and returns were duly and legally made, and that thore were cast at said election II votes, of which number there were cast.

sold tax, and the tax is here now levied for the year 1916.

February 21, 1816.
On this day, on motion of Commissioner Orndorff, duly made and seconded, by Commissioner Walling, it is ordered by the Court that the petition of Gaspar Giren and numerous other citizens of San Elizario for construction and repairs of certain roads in Justice Precinct No. 4, be and the same is hereby received and ordered filed.

February 21, 1816.

On this day, on motion of Commissioner Pendell, duly made and seconded, it is ordered by the Court that Andreas Chavez, Hijinto Presques and Miguel Holquin be and they are hereby appointed Ditch Commissioners in and for the Socorro Irrigation Sys-February 21, 1916.

On motion of Commissioner Pendell, only made and seconded, it is ordered by the Court that H. R. Trent, L. Whitaker and L. R. Thompson, he and they are hereby appointed Ditch Commissioners for the Thompson Dones Ditch at Clint, for the Irrigation System of 1918.

Seth B. Orndorff, Commissioner PreNo. 3.—I favor concrete.

J. M. Walling, Commissionar Precinct
No. 4.—I favor concrete.

Adrian Pool. County Judge Presiding.
I favor concrete.

Pebruary 14th, 1916.
On this day on motion of Commissioner Pendell, duly made and seconded by Commissioner Pendell, duly made and seconded by Commissioner Pendell, duly made and seconded by Commissioner Condown for Commissioner Curt for approval or rejection by Monday. February 14th, 1916.
On this day on motion of Commissioner Cultiford, duly made and seconded by Commissioner Pendell, it leads to the Court fast the pelition, a distance of three-fourths of a suffer and others, property owners in the viscourity of 1ser Station, for a grand read to context the present county and to context the present county of the Court mat claims against Ei Paso County Anditor.

On this day, on motion of Commissioner Cultiford, duly made and seconded by Commissioner County Anditor.

Petruary 14th, 1916.
On this day, on motion of Commissioner Condown of the same are hereby appointed context that the pelition of W. L. Rifer and the same and becomes to county and to context the petition of W. L. Rifer and the same and the county and to context the present county road to context the present of the court that claims against Eil Paso County Table, 1916.
On this day on motion of Commissioner Condown of the road that repairs be made on the road that repairs be made on the road that repairs be made on the road that runs in a northerly direction on West side of the fiver, and to where said road crosses in the court that the sum of 110-20 o'clock a m.

Officers present.

Hon. James Clifford, Commissioner, Precinct No. 2.

Hon. James Clifford, Commissioner, Precinct No. 2.

Hon. James Clifford, Commissioner, Precinct No. 3.

Hon. James Clifford, Commissioner, Precinct No. 4.

Hon. George Pandell, Commissioner,

1916. the 10th day of April, 1916. February 21, 1918. On this day, on motion of Commis

On this day, on motion or Commis-sioner Pendell, duly made and seconded it is ordered by the Court that the sum of \$150 be appropriated to complete the grading of about case-half mile of road by Pool's ranch, down the east ditch connecting El Paso and Canutillo road.

road,
Friday, March 3rd, 1918
Court met at 11:30 o'clock p. m. in
special call session.
O'fficers present.
Hon. Adrian Pool, County Judge. Hon, James Clifford, Commissioner, Hon. George Pendell, Commissioner, recept No. 2

Precinct No. 1.

Hon. George Pendell, Commissioner, Precinct No. 2.

Hon. Seth R. Orndorff, Commissioner, Pracinct No. 2.

E. R. McClintock, County Clerk.

By C. Aranda, Deputy.

March 2rd, 1316.

On this day, on motion of Commissioner Orndorff, duly made and seconded, it is ordered by the Court that J. H. Shinn be authorized to put in a Lane Boulder Strainer for the Well for the new Court House Building, and to proceed with the work until further ordered.

In Commissioner's Court, El Paso County, Texas, this the 3rd day of March, 1316.

Court met at 11:30 o'clock a. m.
Order ratifying the sale of all of Block No. 14, and 40 acres of land out of the fouthwest corner of Block No. 15, as surveyed out of League 246, El Paso County, Texas, as subdivided by R. C. Royston, Deputy County Surveyer of Fisher County, Texas, and as shown by plat of said division recorded in Vol. 14, Page 551, Deed Recorde of Fisher County, Texas, and authorizing the County Judge of El Pase County.

Texas, and authorizing the County.

Texas, and authorizing the County Judge of El Pase County.

Texas, to assign the Vendor's Lieu Notes executed in part payment therefor.

On this 3rd day of March, A. D. 1316.

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Notes executed in part payment therefor.

On this ird day of March, A. D., 1816, the following members of the Court being present viz:

James Clifford, Comr. Prect. No. 1.
George Pendell, Comr. Prect. No. 2.
Soth B. Orndorff, Comr. Prect. No. 3.
Soth B. Orndorff, Comr. Prect. No. 4.

Came on to be heard the matter of the ratification of the sale of block No. 34 and 40 acres out of the southwest corner of block No. 32 of the subdivision of league No. 316, El Paso county school land as subdivided by B. C. Royston, deputy county surveyor of Pisher county. Texas, and the assignment of the vendor's lien retained thereon in favor of El Paso county. Texas, to secure the payment of part of the purchase money for said land.

And it appearing to the court that heretofore, to-write on the 16th day of February, 1965, the commissioners' court of El Paso courty. Texas, had ordered said block No. 21 sold at \$15.00 per acre, not less than one-fifth to be paid in cash and the balance in ten annual installments secured by vandor's Hen notes, and authorized and directed the Hoth Jos. L. Sweeney, county ludge of El Paso county. Texas, to make, execute and deliver deeds to such land in accordance with said order, and (Continued on Next Pases)

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